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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 26, 2002, please enter the following Amendment in the above-identified application.

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In the claims:

1. (Amended) A method for damping vibration of a substrate comprising the steps of:

providing a substrate;

mixing at least two components to form a liquid material, wherein the first component consists essentially of at least one amine-terminated polymer having an average molecular weight greater than about 1500 and an amine equivalent weight greater than about 750; the polymer to form a polyurea compound present in an amount sufficient to impart a predetermined amount of tensile strength, hardness and flexibility, and the second component consists essentially of at least one isocyanate compound, the first and second components reacting upon mixing the polyurea compound curing substantially instantaneously upon application; and

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